DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. 1-129-88

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT:

AFDC HOMELESS ASSISTANCE WORKSHOPS

REFERENCE: MPP 44-211.5

State staff will be conducting workshops regarding AFDC homeless assistance as detailed below. The agenda for the workshops was derived from concerns we heard during our visits to ten counties in early December. We are particularly interested in your suggestions about changes that may enhance homeless assistance.

There will be three all-day sessions scheduled as follows:

LOCATION (See maps,	attached)	DATE	TIME
Bridge Bay Resort Redding, CA	Monday,	January 23	10:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Agricultural Extension Building County of Sacramento 4145 Branch Center Road Sacramento, CA		y, January 26	10:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Department of Public Social Services San Bernardino	Monday,	January 30	10:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.

The tentative agenda for the workshops is attached.

We are limited to a maximum of 40 people per session; therefore, we are asking that you let us know in advance how many people you will be sending and which session they will be attending. Please call Judy Moore of the AFDC and Food Stamp Policy Implementation Bureau at (916) 324-2017 or (ATSS) 454-2017 by January 16, 1989.

ROBERT A. HOREL Deputy Director

Attachments

cc: CWDA

HOMELESS ASSISTANCE WORKSHOP

TENTATIVE AGENDA

10:00 Introduction

What we hope to accomplish at workshop

Provide explanation about why we are where we are

Provide feedback from county visits

Overview of agenda

Emphasize need for input from the counties in information sharing

10:30 Regulation Interpretations

Overview of the regs

Problem areas

11:00 Information Sharing

Organize into groups with 6-8 people per group. Each group will discuss one topic for 20-30 minutes and share their conclusions with the group as a whole. The topics will include:

The definition of "homeless"

Guidelines re "temporary & emergency"

Shared housing

Ideas re ways to deal with timeframes

CWD responsibilities

Inter county issues

11:45 Lunch

12:45 Information Sharing

Continuation of above.

2:00 Fraud

Homeless Assistance IEVS Indicator

3:00 Future of HA

Update with info provided by PB

If we scrapped the current provisions, what would you like homeless assistance to look like?





